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IN RE APPLICATION OF: :
TAKASHI YAMADA ET AL : GROUP ART UNIT: 2826
SERIAL NO. 09/995,594 :
FILED: NOVEMBER 29, 2001 : EXAMINER: DICKEY

FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR CHIP HAVING
MULTIPLE FUNCTIONAL BLOCKS
INTEGRATED IN A SINGLE CHIP
AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING
THE SAME

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In response to the Restriction Requirement dated December 24, 2002 Applicant elects
Group II, Claims 1-15, drawn to a device, classified in class 257, subclass 347.

Accordingly, examination on the merits of Claims 1-15 is believed to be in order, and
an early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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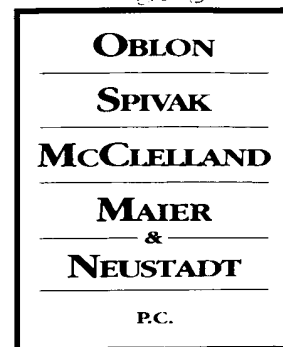
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